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Title of Application: "SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR READING DATA STORED ON A MAGNETIC SHIFT REGISTER"

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- 1 Page(s) Transmittal form (in duplicate)
- 49 Page(s) Specification, claims, abstract
- 22 Page(s) Drawings (FIGS. 1- 20)
- 2 Page(s) Declaration and Power of Attorney
- 2 Page(s) Recordation of Assignment & Assignment to IBM
- 3 Page(s) Form 1449A and Information Disclosure Statement
- 2 References cited in Form 1449A
- 1 Page(s) Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
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Fee Calculation

	Claims Filed		Extra	Rate	Fees
Basic Fee					\$770.00
Total Claims	52	-20 =	32	\$18.00	\$576.00
Independent Claims	3	- 3 =	0	\$86.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claim				\$290.00	\$0.00
Assignment (Separate Authorization in Recordation form)				\$40.00	\$0.00
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